



Headquarters Tenth Army

7 September 1945

Surrender

The undersigned Japanese Commanders, in conformity with the general surrender executed by the Imperial Japanese Government, at Yokohama, on 2 September 1945, hereby formally render unconditional surrender of the islands in the Ryukyus within the following boundaries:

30° North 126° East, thence 24° North 122° East, thence
24° North 133° East, thence 29° North 131° East, thence
30° North 131° 30' East, thence to point of origin.

納見敏部

Toshiro Nomi
Lieutenant General
Commander Japanese Forces
Sakishima Gunto

高田利貞

Toshisada Takada
Major General
Commander Japanese Army Forces
Amami Gunto

加藤雄雄

Tadao Kato
Rear Admiral
Commander Japanese Navy Forces
Amami Gunto

Accepted:

Joseph W. Stilwell

J. W. Stilwell
General, United States Army
Commanding

Surrender of Japanese Forces in the Ryukyus

General Joseph W. ("Vinegar Joe") Stilwell accepted the surrender of Japanese forces on the Ryukyus Islands on September 7, 1945. This is the original instrument of surrender.

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